

9 January 1948

Dr. William W. Edel  
President  
Dickinson College  
Carlisle, Penna.

Dear Padre:

Your letter of 7 January just arrived, and I am delighted that we can fix on the date of Tuesday, 2 March 1948. I shall do the best I can for you, but I must warn you that I am a poor speech-maker. If it is agreeable to Mrs. Edel and yourself, Janie and I will come up from Washington the afternoon of the day before, and we should like to leave in the early afternoon of Tuesday, the 2nd, in order to be back in Washington before dark.

We both shall look forward to seeing all of you. Janie joins me in best wishes to Louise, the children and yourself.

Sincerely,

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R. H. Hillenkoetter  
Rear Admiral, USN  
Director of Central  
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Rear Admiral R. H. Hillenkoetter  
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My dear Roscoe:

Thank you very much for your letter of 26 December 1947.

It will be quite easy to arrange for our rendezvous at Dickinson on the week after 26 February 1948 as we have an open date on Tuesday, 2 March 1948.

Shall we look for Janie and yourself sometime during the afternoon of Monday, 1 March? If it is not possible for you to come up from Washington on Monday, you may do so on Tuesday morning as our new schedule, effective 1 February, moves our assembly hour from 10:30 up one hour so that it begins at 11:30 instead. If you can stay over Tuesday night, we will be happy to have you, as the College is having Sigmund Spaeth lecture that evening and you might enjoy hearing him.

Let me know how to word your subject so that I can make adequate announcement.

Louise joins me in best wishes to you and yours.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) Bill

WILLIAM W. EDEL  
The President of the College

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26 December 1947

Mr. William W. Edel  
President, Dickinson College  
Carlisle, Pennsylvania

Dear Padre:

Thank you very much for your letter of the 22nd of December which I enjoyed very much. A slight difficulty has arisen, however, and I hope we can smooth it out. I must be in Norfolk by 8:30 on the morning of 27 February, and I wonder if it will be possible to have the rendezvous at Dickinson either the week before the 26th or the week after or at any other time except between March 9 and March 14. It will be a great help if you can find some other date, and I should appreciate it a lot.

Janie joins me in the very best holiday greetings to Louise and yourself.

Sincerely,

*s - Dec 12/47*  
R. M. Millenhoetter  
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